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Dear Examiner Flynn:

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2005.

This Amendment is timely because it is being submitted with a one month extension of time to extend the period for reply until July 23, 2005. July 23, 2005 falls on a Saturday, so the date for response is automatically extended to Monday, July 25, 2005. Please enter and consider the following: